

00- R-1921

Entered - 06/15/99 - sb
CL99L0370 - DIANNE C. MITCHELL

CLAIM OF: DOROTHY LEE THORNHILL
445 Cleveland Avenue
Apt. B-31
Atlanta, Georgia 30354

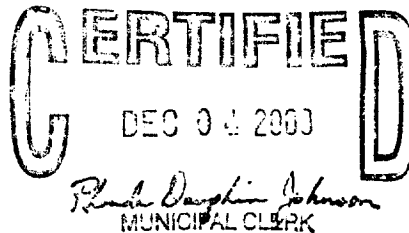
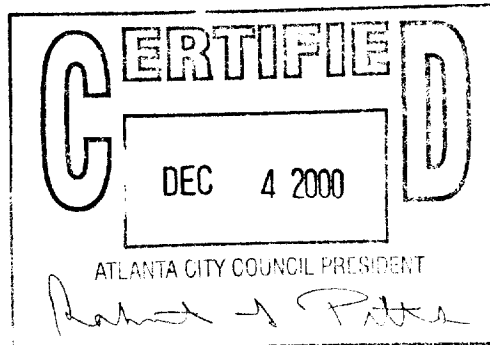
For damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a fall on an
unpaved portion of the sidewalk on May 10, 1999 on Broad Street.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS APPROVED

BY: Rosalind Rubens Newell by RRG/OCA
ROSALIND RUBENS NEWELL
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

CONSENT AGENDA

ADVERSED BY DEC 04 2000
CITY COUNCIL



AD
COM Public Safety
11/28/00
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Michael R...



OFFICE OF MUNICIPAL CLERK

RHONDA DAUPHIN JOHNSON, CMC
MUNICIPAL CLERK

55 TRINITY AVENUE, S.W.
SECOND FLOOR, EAST
SUITE 2700
ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30335
(404) 330-6033
FAX (404) 658-6103

December 12, 2000

Dorothy Lee Thornhill
445 Cleveland Ave.
Apartment B-31
Atlanta, GA 30354

00-R-1921

Dear Ms. Thornhill:

I sincerely regret that you have been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in your claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your claim at its regular meeting on December 4, 2000. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the **City Attorney's Office/Claims Division** at (404) 330-6400.

Sincerely,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: **Claims Division/Law Department**

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 99L0370

Date: November 13, 2000

Claimant /Victim DOROTHY LEE THORNHILL

BY: (Atty) (Ins. Co.) _____

Address: 445 Cleveland Avenue, Apt. B-31, Atlanta, Georgia 30354

Subrogation: _____ Claim for Property damage \$ _____ Bodily Injury \$ 10,000.00

Date of Notice: 06/07/99 Method: Written, proper X Improper _____

Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X

Date of Occurrence 05/10/99 Place: Broad Street

Department Public Works Division: Street Operations

Employee involved _____ Disciplinary Action: _____

NATURE OF CLAIM: The claimant alleges she was injured when she fell in a planter that was not level with the sidewalk. Pursuant to Atlanta City Code §138-11, the abutting property owner is responsible for the maintenance of planters within the sidewalks. The claimant has been advised of the above.

INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee _____ Claimant _____ Others _____ Written _____ Oral _____

Pictures X Diagrams _____ Reports: Police _____ Dept Report _____ Other _____

Traffic citations issued: City Driver _____ Claimant Driver _____

Citation disposition: City Driver _____ Claimant Driver _____

BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Function: Governmental _____ Ministerial _____

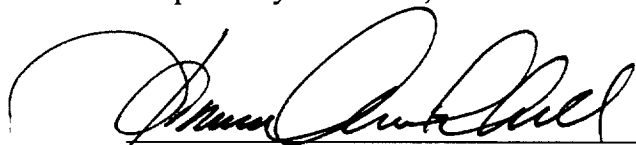
Improper Notice _____ More than Six Months _____ Other _____ Damages reasonable _____

City not involved X Offer rejected _____ Compromise settlement _____

Repair/replacement by Ins. Co. _____ Repair/replacement by City Forces _____

Claimant Negligent _____ City Negligent _____ Joint _____ Claim Abandoned _____

Respectfully submitted,



INVESTIGATOR - DIANNE C. MITCHELL

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay \$ _____ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 _____ 2J01 _____ 2H01 _____

Claims Manager:  Concur/date 11-14-00

Committee Action: _____ Council Action _____

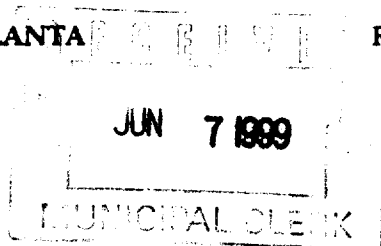
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA
MUNICIPAL CLERK

City Hall
55 Trinity Avenue, S.W.
Atlanta, Georgia 30335

RE: CLAIM FOR DAMAGES

Today's Date: 05/28/99 *DM*

Dear Municipal Clerk:



ENTERED - 6-15-99 - SB
99L0370 - MIKE REEVES

This is to notify the City of Atlanta that I have suffered damages in the amount sum of \$ _____ property and/or \$ 10,000 bodily injury for which I contend the City is liable.

1. Date of incident: 5/10/99 2. Time of Incident: 10:30 3. Police called: Yes ☒ No ☐
(month/day/year)

4. Location of incident (including street address): _____

5. Name of your insurance company: Medicaid Policy No. 25364361A

6. State what and how incident occurred: Walking down side walk on
Feet on two iron bars sticking up
from side walk

7. ALL ESTIMATES AND DAMAGES ARE SUBJECT TO INSPECTION. THE MAKING OF FALSE CLAIMS WILL RESULT IN YOUR CLAIM BEING DENIED AND MAY RESULT IN CRIMINAL PROSECUTION!

8. The registered owner must make the claim for vehicle damages, complete the following and attach two (2) estimates of repair and proof of ownership of your vehicle (copy of the current tag receipt or title).

Your vehicle: _____
(Make) (Year) (Tag Number) (Driver's Name)

City vehicle: _____
(Make) (City Driver's Name) (Department/Bureau)

9. Witness: _____
(Name) (Address) (Telephone Number)

10. The acknowledgement of this claim in no way waives the Sovereign immunity of the City of Atlanta, as granted by State law, nor is it an admission of liability on behalf of the City of Atlanta and/or its employees(s).

11. This claim should be mailed immediately to the address shown above.

I HEREBY SWEAR OR AFFIRM THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

Dorothy Thorndike
Signature of Claimant

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DOROTHY LEE THORNDIKE
(Print Claimant's Name)

445 Cleveland Ave. Apt B31
(Address)

Atlanta GA 30354
(City, State and Zip Code)

404/363-9123
(Work Number) (Home Number)

RCS# 2434
12/04/00
3:58 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT

Pages: 1-19

ADOPT

YEAS: 12
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 3
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 1

SEE ATTACHED LISTING OF
ITEMS ADOPTED/ADVERSED
ON CONSENT AGENDA

NV McCarty	Y Dorsey	Y Moore	B Thomas
Y Starnes	Y Woolard	Y Martin	Y Emmons
Y Bond	Y Morris	Y Maddox	NV Alexander
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Boazman	NV Pitts

ITEM (S) REMOVED FROM
CONSENT AGENDA
00-O-1874
00-O-1986
00-R-1950

CONSENT

		12/04/00 Council Meeting
ITEMS ADOPTED ON CONSENT AGENDA	ITEMS ADOPTED ON CONSENT AGENDA	ITEMS ADVERSE ON CONSENT AGENDA
1. 00-O-1289 2. 00-O-1680 3. 00-O-1792 4. 00-O-1797 5. 00-O-1003 6. 00-O-1228 7. 00-O-1795 8. 00-O-1796 9. 00-O-1860 10. 00-O-1616 11. 00-O-1853 12. 00-O-1801 13. 00-O-1963 14. 00-O-1965 15. 00-R-1788 16. 00-R-1886 17. 00-R-1953 18. 00-R-1955 19. 00-R-2009 20. 00-R-2010 21. 00-R-2011* 22. 00-R-1890 23. 00-R-1937 24. 00-R-1938 25. 00-R-1939 26. 00-R-1940 27. 00-R-1988 28. 00-R-2006 29. 00-R-2013 30. 00-R-1887 31. 00-R-2015 32. 00-R-1957 33. 00-R-1958 34. 00-R-1877 35. 00-R-2008	36. 00-R-1959 37. 00-R-1882 38. 00-R-1985 39. 00-R-1943 40. 00-R-1945 41. 00-R-1946 42. 00-R-1947 43. 00-R-1948 44. 00-R-1949 45. 00-R-1951 46. 00-R-1970 47. 00-R-2016 48. 00-R-1901 49. 00-R-1902 50. 00-R-1903 51. 00-R-1904 52. 00-R-1905 53. 00-R-1906 54. 00-R-1907 55. 00-R-1908 56. 00-R-1909 57. 00-R-1910 58. 00-R-1911 59. 00-R-1912 60. 00-R-1913 61. 00-R-1914 62. 00-R-1915 63. 00-R-1916	64. 00-R-1816 65. 00-R-1817 66. 00-R-1818 67. 00-R-1819 68. 00-R-1820 69. 00-R-1821 70. 00-R-1822 71. 00-R-1823 72. 00-R-1824 73. 00-R-1825 74. 00-R-1826 75. 00-R-1827 76. 00-R-1828 77. 00-R-1829 78. 00-R-1830 79. 00-R-1831 80. 00-R-1832 81. 00-R-1833 82. 00-R-1834 83. 00-R-1836 * President Pitts recused himself.